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In re Application of:) Examiner: Gerald Gauthier #20
Zigurd MEDNICKS)
Serial No.: 09/691,518) Art Unit: 2645 6-8-04
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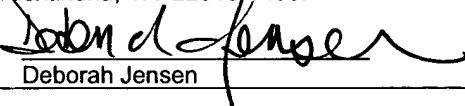
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
(37 C.F.R. § 1.191)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 28, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1-18 and 28-30.

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of a small entity. 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal for a small entity is \$165.00.

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply. A one-extension of time was previously secured by Applicant on May 18, 2004, thereby extending the shortened statutory period until May 28, 2004. This Notice of Appeal is being made before the deadline. Accordingly, no additional fee for extension of time is due.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is **\$165.00**.

5. FEE PAYMENT

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Respectfully submitted,



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